GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION
LOK SABHA

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Construction of Toilets
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Will the Minister of DRINKING WATER AND SANITATION be pleased to state:

(a) the details of the toilets constructed under Swachh Bharat Mission (SBM) so far, State/UT-wise;

(b) whether adequate and proper supply of water is maintained for all the constructed toilets; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor along with the steps taken/being taken by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DRINKING WATER & SANITATION
(SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)

(a) State/UT-wise Individual household latrines (IHHLs) constructed under Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) since 2nd October, 2014 is at Annexure-1.

In respect of Swachh Bharat Mission (Urban), work has commenced an around 19 lakh individual toilets and 5.91 lakh toilets have been constructed since 2.10.2014. Besides, 28,948 public toilets seats have been constructed. The State-wise details are at Annexure-2.

(b) and (c) Under, Swachh Bharat Mission (Gramin) {SBM-G}, the incentive for individual toilet has been increased from Rs. 10,000 to Rs. 12,000, to provide for water availability, including for storing water for hand-washing and cleaning. The SBM(G) guidelines also provide for prioritization of conjoint programmes of sanitation and water to maximize the availability of water for sanitation purposes.